### **EXHIBIT A**

Case: 3:21-cv-01123-JGC Doc #: 67-1 Filed: 04/18/25 2 of 14. PageID #: 1383 HORIZATION TO RECEIVE PACKACE EXHIBIT A U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUST OR PROPERTY Name and Address at a second part of the second par Name and Address of Person Sending Package This Authorization Is Not Valid After The Date Shown. Enter Inmate Name, Register No., and Institution Address Here: (Address) 1- 3094 K. Al. 1680) 1/3/11/cal LB You are authorized to send the following personal property. PLEASE NOTE: Including unauthorized majorials in the package will THE NAMED INMATE IS AUTHORIZED TO RECEIVE (specify below): Package will result in the entire package being returned undelivered. DISPOSITION OUANTITY ITEM AND DESCRIPTION (INCLUDED STATED VALUE) 2-11011 SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS: The inmate will mail the pink and goldenrod copy to addressee. The addressee may retain the shown above.

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## AUTHORIZATION TO RECEIVE PACKAGE OR PROPERTY

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10-29-2010 13:07:57

NAME.....: ALFORD, BRIAN K REGISTER NO: 43177-061 RACE / SEX.: BLACK / MALE RESIDENCE..: DAYTON, OH 45408

DOB (AGE): 04-10-1957 (53) ETHNIC...: OTHER THAN HISP RSP OF ...: ELK A-DES

DESTINATION:

LEVEL/CUSTODY: LOW PROJ REL DATE: 01-07-2011 DETAINERS....: YES NOTIFICATIONS: NO

ESCAPE....: NONE VIOLENCE...: > 15 YRS SERIOUS HGT.: 602

HAIR: BN

PSYCH ALERT ..: NO / EYES: HL WGT.: 190

VIOLENCE OFFN/CHG RMKS: ARMED BANK ROBBERY; USE OF A FIREARM IN CRIME OF 18:2113(A) & (D), 18:924(C), 144 MOS, 5 YR SRT, CR 3-00-65(1)

DETAINER SOH : PAROLE VIOLATION (ORIGAINL: AGGRAVATED ROBBERY AND ROBBERY)

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GENERAL PHYSICAL APPEARANCE (COMMENTS):	Middle Name	Sulfix			
Black Male, 6' 2", 190 lbs., Brown Hair, Hazel Eyes	± 6′ 2″	m 190			
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LIST ANY NON-ROUTINE SECURITY NEEDS: Use standard security procedures for a Low /IN custody inmate. Inmate Alford is not a CIM case.	REG# 43177-(	)61 ELK	43177-061 ALF		
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NAME OF NEAREST RELATIVE OF INMATE:	Willie Alfor	d, Father			
CITY AND STATE OF RELATIVE	Dayton, OH	a Ji			
No history of escape. History of violence - 1984, Aggravated Robbery with Firearms Specification.  Detainer: Ohio Adult Parole Authority Columbus, OH					
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	<b>Revocation Order</b>

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Offender Name: Brian Alford		•	Number: A-19674	4	
Unit: A0209	Where Conf CRC	ined:	Date of B	irth: Apr 10, 195	7
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Adult Parole Authority					
The violator is ordered institution.	101000000000000000000000000000000000000				
The Hearing officer re	ecommends to th	e Parole Board	Chair/Designe	e that the	violator serve
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BP-S714.056 NOTICE OF RELEASE AND ARRIVAL CDFRM

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF PRISONS

Inmate Name Alford, Brian K.		Reg No.: 43177-061 FBI No.: 246037W8 State No.: OH SID B108065		Institution/Address FCI Elkton P.O. Box 129 Lisbon, OH 44432-0129	
Release Date January 7, 2011 Release Metho			Release Method	Good Conduct Time Release	
Public Law Days	Supervision to follow release: (if yes, advise inmate of Obligation to Report for Supervision)  X YES ( 5 years months)  NO				
		RELEASED TO:	(Check one)		
N/A Community				X_ Detainer	
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	s	UPERVISION J	URISDICTION(s)		
Sentencing District Chief/Director: John S. Dierna, CUSPO Supervision Agency: United States Probation District: Southern District of Ohio Address: 546 Joseph P. Kinneary U.S. Courthouse 85 Marconi Blvd., Room 546 Columbus, OH 43215		District of Residence (for relocation cases) Chief/Director: N/A Supervision Agency: District: Address: Phone: ( )			
Address of 744 LaSalle proposed residence: Dayton, OH 45408					
DNA STATUS					
DNA sample requi	red: I	f YES date sam	ple taken 10, 2009	DNA Number ELK03271	

Obligation to Report for Supervision: If you were sentenced to, or otherwise required to serve, a term of supervision, this term begins immediately upon your discharge from imprisonment, and you are directed to report for supervision within 72 hours. If you are released from a detaining authority, you shall report for supervision within 72 hours after your release by the detaining authority. If you can not report for supervision in the district of your approved residence within 72 hours, you must report to the nearest U.S. Probation Office for instruction. Failure to obey the reporting requirements described above will constitute a violation of release conditions.

Inmate's Signature (file copy only)

Bwk. www 43177-06

Distribution: Inmate Central File (Section 5), Inmate, Chief Supervision Officer in Sentencing District, Chief Supervision Officer in District of Residence, and U.S. Parole Commission (if applicable)

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# UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO U.S. Probation Office

John S. Dierna Chief U.S. Probation Officer

110 Potter Stewart U.S. Courthouse 100 East Fifth Street Cincinnati, Ohio 45202-3980 Phone: 513-564-7575 Fax: 513-564-7587

Reply to: Dayton Office



Joseph P. Kinneary U.S. Courthouse 85 Marconi Boulevard, Room 546 Columbus, Ohio 43215-2398 Phone: 614-719-3100 Fax: 614-469-2579

> 702 Federal Building 200 West Second Street Dayton, Ohio 45402-1411 Phone: 937-512-1450 Fax: 937-512-1453

April 26, 2017

Brian Keith Alford #A196744 London Correctional Institution P.O. Box 69 London, Ohio 43140

Dear Mr. Alford:

Please contact U.S. Probation Officer Melissa Dues at (937) 512-1472 immediately upon your release from the institution. Failure to follow this officer's instructions as indicated could result in adverse action.

Sincerely,

Melissa Dues

U.S. Probation Officer

Melissa Duss/MR

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### THE OHIO INNOCENCE PROJECT

University of Cincinnati College of Law P.O. Box 210040 Cincinnati, OH 45221-0040

June 20, 2023

Mr. Brian Alford #196-744 Ross Correctional Institution P.O. Box 7010 Chillicothe, OH 45601

Dear Mr. Brian Alford,

We have received your request for assistance. The Ohio Innocence Project at the University of Cincinnati College of Law ("OIP") seeks to identify and assist individuals who claim to be actually innocent of the crimes for which they were convicted. To claim actual innocence, you must have had **no involvement** in the incident(s) that lead to your conviction. The OIP does not handle direct appeals, requests for sentence reductions, or people who are still at the trial court level. The OIP will review a request from an applicant and conduct an investigation into the applicant's request if it is determined the request meets our review and screening criteria. The OIP will work only on those cases where new evidence, whether newly discovered or that can be developed through investigation, supports the applicant's claim of innocence.

Enclosed, please find our application. You must FULLY COMPLETE the application, or it will not be reviewed. Please understand that due to the overwhelming number of requests for our assistance, you may not hear from our office immediately upon our receipt of your application. We will contact you as soon as possible via regular US mail after evaluating your application to let you know if we have decided that you meet our criteria, and we are able to conduct an investigation.

If it is determined that you meet our criteria, you will receive a letter notifying you that your case is pending assignment. This means that we have decided to investigate your case but do not have a team available to work on your file. Cases approved for investigation will be assigned to a team of law students for investigation and work-up under the supervision of university faculty and staff attorneys. Once your case has been assigned, you will receive a letter from the team of law students introducing themselves and giving you further instructions.

If it is determined that your case does not meet our criteria, or we do not have the resources to assist you, you will instead receive a letter notifying you of that decision.

Please note that we do not represent you as your attorneys at the present time, or at any time during the screening process. OIP will not be your attorney until and if OIP sends you a written agreement.

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We will keep your information confidential, as we are examining whether an attorneyclient relationship might be developed in the future. We end up representing a very small percentage of applicants. We only represent individuals who claim actual innocence; we do not litigate claims of consent, self-defense or questions of mental capacity during the commission of a crime. We have a limited mission: to represent the truly innocent.

Also please keep in mind that proving innocence is never easy. In most cases, we will have no course of action available to us once we have concluded our initial investigation. In only a few instances will we be able to pursue our investigation to the point where the applicant will benefit. We know you recognize these difficulties and ask only that you have patience and understand the odds that are facing us--and you--in pursuing this inquiry.

Sincerely,

Mark Godsey, Director

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Mr. Brian Alford #196-744 Ross Correctional Institution P.O. Box 7010 Chillicothe, OH 45601

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### THE OHIO INNOCENCE PROJECT

University of Cincinnati College of Law P.O. Box 210040 Cincinnati, OH 45221-0040

August 7, 2023

Mr. Brian Alford #196-744 Ross Correctional Institution P.O. Box 7010 Chillicothe, OH 45601

Dear Mr. Alford,

Thank you for sending the completed application. We have decided that your case qualifies for further review. Your file is now pending assignment. This means that although we have decided to investigate your case, we do not have a team of law students available to work on your file at this time. Cases approved for investigation will be assigned to a team of students for investigation and work-up under the supervision of university faculty and staff attorneys. Once your case has been assigned, you will receive a letter from the team of law students introducing themselves and giving you further instructions.

The purpose of our investigation will be to determine whether the Ohio Innocence Project will agree to represent you at the end of the investigation to pursue a claim of actual innocence. During that time, we may request additional information from you. Any information you provide to us is confidential and privileged. Please understand, however, that we are not currently representing you and cannot offer you legal advice on this or any other matters.

OIP is committed to creating an environment that is inclusive and free of discrimination or harassment for incarcerated people as well as for OIP staff and students. We will not tolerate abuse or harassment directed towards our staff or students. That includes using language or engaging in conduct that is abusive based on a person's race, sex, sexual orientation, or gender identity. If you engage in such conduct, we will close your file and terminate our investigation of your case.

We receive a high volume of requests for assistance, and because of this, assignment can take many months or even up to or over a year. If you become aware of any new evidence in your case or want to share anything with us during this time, feel free to write us a letter.

Thank you for your patience. We hope to be in contact soon.

Sincerely,

Mark Godsey, Director

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positively identified appellant as the bank robber, three were unable to make a positive identification and four identified appellant with qualifications." *State v. Alford*, 2d Dist. Montgomery No. 8831, 1985 WL 8726 (June 14, 1985) at \*1.1 In support of his direct appeal, Alford argued that the trial court erred by: (1) failing to suppress identification evidence; (2) denying his motion to sever his charges for trial; and (3) admitting certain exhibits at trial. Indeed, the first assignment of error in the 1985 appeal contains the phrase that "THE SUBSEQUENT LINEUP PROCEDURE WAS UNNECESSARILY SUGGESTIVE." But this Court rejected that assignment because although trial counsel had raised the identification issue in a motion to suppress, supplemental objections were not made during trial to preserve the issue for appeal. This court found no merit to any of Alford's claims and affirmed his conviction.

Alford was released on parole in December 1999 but he apparently returned to his prior trade. In July 2000 he was arrested and charged in federal court with Armed Bank Robbery. He was convicted and sentenced to federal prison. At the end of that sentence, in January 2011 he was returned to state custody for parole violation and he continues to serve his original state sentence. During his incarcerations Alford has shown he is no novice when it comes to pursuit of litigation. The electronic docket of the trial court case and many published opinions demonstrate that over the years Alford has filed multiple motions in the trial court, several appeals, a court of claims action, and multiple causes of action in federal court including appeals, habeas corpus petitions, and several 42 U.S.C. § 1983 actions.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Alford had been charged with two counts of aggravated robbery and three counts of robbery but he was acquitted on one of the aggravated robbery counts.